

Please replace the paragraph on page 14, line 31, with the following:

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~~The thermosetting resin other than the epoxy resin is preferably used~~  
in an amount of 20% by weight or less based on the total amount of  
the thermosetting resin such as the polyvinyl acetal resin, epoxy resin,  
etc. and the polyfunctional (meth)acrylate resin, and the melamine  
resin is preferably used in an amount of 3 to 20 % by weight based on  
the same to avoid tackiness of the composition.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 15-18 without prejudice or disclaimer, and amend the  
claims remaining in the application as follows:

4. **(Twice Amended)** The adhesive composition for a metal foil  
according to Claim 3, wherein said composition comprises at least one  
thermosetting resin which does not react with a polyvinyl acetal resin and which is  
compatible with the polyvinyl acetal resin.

5. **(Amended)** The adhesive composition for a metal foil according to  
Claim 4, wherein said composition comprises at least one thermosetting resin which  
does not have an aromatic ring.

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<sup>12</sup>~~13~~. (Twice Amended) The adhesive composition for a metal foil  
B6 according to any one of Claims 1 and <sup>2-10</sup>~~3-11~~, wherein said composition further  
comprises at least one of an antioxidant, a metal scavenger and a lubricant.

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<sup>14</sup>~~15~~. (Amended) The adhesive composition for a metal foil according to  
Claim 1 or <sup>2</sup>~~3~~, wherein the at least one of a polyfunctional acrylate compound and a  
B7 polyfunctional methacrylate compound has two or more acryloyl groups or  
methacryloyl groups.

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